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Enclosed herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement for Jerry G. Henslee, *et al.*, for REAGENTS AND METHODS USEFUL FOR DETECTING DISEASES OF THE BREAST, the specification of which was filed on October 11, 2001, and received Serial No. 09/975,502.

Also enclosed are: Form PTO 1449 (in duplicate) w/seven (7) references
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Respectfully submitted,
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The following information is submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98 in accordance with Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56. This submission is not an admission that the documents cited herein are prior art as to the invention claimed. In accordance with 37 CFR §§1.97(g)-(h), the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that other material information as defined by 37 CFR §1.56(a) exists.

Applicants submit herewith Form PTO-1449 listing the references known to them. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner (1) initial each reference listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 indicating that the Examiner has considered and made those references of record in this application and (2) return a copy of the initialed Form PTO 1449 to Applicants. Copies of the references are also enclosed.

Documents listed in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement were first cited in a European Search Report, dated May 29, 2006, issued in connection with counterpart European application No. 02782132.1 - 2209.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted after the first Office Action on the merits, but before the issuance of a final action or a notice of allowance. No charge is required for the submission of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (c).

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